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Title: Lubricant Composition Containing Phosphorus, Molybdenum, and
Hydroxy-Substituted Dithiocarbamates

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This is filed in response to the Office Action mailed by the Examiner on January 6, 2005. The attached Amendments to the Claims and Remarks presented herein should place the presently claimed application in condition for Allowance, which is earnestly solicited.

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EXAMINER INTERVIEW SUMMARY
Statement of the Substance of the Interview

Applicants thank the Examiner for the courtesy of a telephone interview conducted on April 5, 2005 with Ms. Kathleen Urso, representative for Applicants. The Examiner's clarifications regarding statements found in the Summary of the Interview of May 12, 2004 regarding epoxide chemistry distinctions among the references and presently claimed invention was found to be informative, and was greatly appreciated. In addition, the Examiner provided helpful insight regarding provisions in the disclosures of Latyuk et al. and Belov et al.